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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: S. HIGAKI, et al

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For: DISK ARRAY AND METHOD FOR READING/WRITING DATA  
FROM/INTO DISK UNIT

Group: 2186

Examiner: D. Tran

**SUBMISSION OF TERMINAL DISCLAIMERS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Attached is a Terminal Disclaimer submitted in an effort to place this application in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, early allowance of claims 1-24 is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (Case No. 500.37509CX2) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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